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Dear Parents and Carers,

I hope you all had a relaxing half term. Many thanks for ensuring that our students have started the second half term with excellent standards of uniform.

All Saint's Day Mass

We are really grateful to Father Wilson for joining us on Tuesday to say Mass for our Year 7 and Year 8 students.

Year 7 trip to Whitby and Goathland

On Wednesday, Year 7 visited Goathland and Whitby. This was their first school trip since starting at Holy Family and had the aim of building and strengthening relationships with their peers, as well as having some fun!

We started in Goathland with a short hike on one of the many scenic routes that the village has to offer. The weather and terrain were challenging for some students, but they all showed good character and resilience to complete the hike.

We then moved onto Whitby, where the students climbed the 199 steps up to Whitby Abbey. Again they overcame the elements and can be seen smiling through the rain.

The arcade visit was a massive hit, with new friendships forming as they competed on racing simulators and ten-pin bowling.

It was a memorable trip for all involved: a highlight (lowlight) may have been the seagulls swooping downing to steal fish & chips. Hopefully, Year 7 will feel like they all know each a little better and the friendships they had prior to the trip have grown in strength and size.



"Many people will walk in and out of your life, but only true friends will leave footprints in your heart." – Eleanor Roosevelt

Reminder dates for this half term:

Year 8 Parent's Evening: Thursday 10th November (In school)

Year 9 Parent's Evening: Thursday 8th December (In school – booking details will be sent the week before)

Year 11 Mock Exams: 28th November to 12th December

Have a lovely weekend everyone and stay safe on bonfire night!

Mrs D Mitchell
Headteacher

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